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Grand Award Winners For 2nd Time

Recitation By Lynn Breau Wins Her 1st Place Honors In Amateur Night

LAC LA BICHE — A highly successful Amateur Night, sponsored by the Lac la Biche Lions Club was held in the Memorial hall, Nov. 7. A varied program of songs, recitations, piano solos, instrumental numbers and Hula Hoop drills was greatly enjoyed by the audience.

Taking part in the program were: Jeanette Makie—song, Wilford Makowichuk — song, Clara Senetza—piano solo, Shirley Rizzoli—song, Marie Maccagno—recitation, Joanne Cadzow—recitation, Judy Petterson and Lynn Gagnon —song, Lynn Breau—piano so'o, Doris Inkster—song, Judy Petterson—song, Verna and Leona Thompson—song, Donald Cardinal —instrumental, Lynn Breau and Joanne Cadzow — song, Victoria Hamilton—piano solo, Floyd Makie —song, Anne Mischuk and Sharon Whitford—Hula Hoop drill, Kenny Stefanyk—song, Lynn Breau—recitation. Two other Hula Hoop drills by Mrs. Uganitz' class were much enjoyed.

First prize for the best performance was awarded to Lynn Breau for her recitation; 2nd prize—Joanne Cadzow, recitation; 3rd, Judy Petterson, song. Those in the Honorable Mention Class included: Anne Mischuk and Sharon Whitford for their Hula Hoop Routine, Marie Maccagno's recitation "The Three Little Kittens", Clara Senetza piano solo; Judy Petterson and Lynn Gagnon, song; The Tiny Twisters, Hula Hoop drill and the song by Lynn Breau and Joanne Cadzow. Adjudicators for the evening were Mrs. W. Coast, Mr. N. Chodin and Mr. F. Creighton. Mr. F. W. McMillan was M.C. The sum of $151.30 was realized which will go toward curtains for the Hall stage.

Peter McCallum Injured In Fall From Power Pole

Peter McCallum, 21, suffered a crushed vertebrae and a fractured ankle when he fell 35 feet from a power pole last Tuesday evening. The accident occurred about 5 p.m. near the new Wheat Pool elevator in Lac la Biche

Mr. McCallum, whose home is in Edmonton, had just started working for Northland Utilities that day. Police said the worker had climbed the power pole without the aid of his safety belt. He was taken to St. Catherine's hospital immediately and the next morning was transferred to an Edmonton hospital by ambulance. According to the latest report, he is making satisfactory progress.

Elevator To Open Wednesday

LAC LA BICHE — Nov 19 has been set as the day for the official opening of the new Alberta Wheat Pool elevator. The town feels that the new building is another important step in the steady growth and development of the town and district in recent years. A large representation of farmers from surrounding localities is expected for the opening day's ceremonies of speeches, films and a lunch, along with the traditional ribbon cutting.

ELECTED on the 12th ballot of the Roman Catholic cardinals in conclave at the Sistine chapel in Rome, Angelo Cardinal Roncalli has chosen the name of Pope John XXIII. Though 76, he is in excellent health and has tremendous vitality.

Must Stand Trial On Murder Charge

McMURRAY, Alta. — Charles Boucher was committed for trial in Alberta Supreme Court on a charge of murder arising from the death of Julia Shott with whom he had been living.

Boucher, in RCMP custody, was charged after the brutally-beaten body of Miss Shott was found by two men, Oct. 5. The body, almost nude and covered with bruises, was found on the outskirts of this northern Alberta community.

To Hold Workshop

The Lac la Biche Home and School Association are holding a Conference Workshop in the Memorial Hall Nov. 22, commencing at 9:15 a.m.

This conference will include the districts of Thorhild, Smoky Lake, Athabasca and Lac la Biche.

Dr. Walter Johns, dear of arts, University of Alberta will be the guest speaker.

Coming Events

HYLO — Co-op Evening will be held in the Hylo School on Nov. 20, at 8 p.m. Guest speaker will be Pat Ryan and films will be shown.

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H. Nelson, M. Steffin Capture Top Honors At Lac la Biche Mink Show

LAC LA BICHE — Grand prize awards went this year to two men who last fall captured top honors at the Lac la Biche Mink Show.

Successful over 306 entries were H. Nelson and M. Steffin. Mr. Nelson took the grand champion award plus the Hudson's Bay blanket, while Mr. Steffin collected the most points received by any one rancher at the show to win the grand aggregate award.

Three speakers were heard at the banquet held in the Memorial Hall, catered by the United Church Ladies Aid.

C. Johnston, Hudson's Bay Co., Montreal, was one of three after dinner speakers, giving illustrations on pelting and his views on marketing.

K. Montgomery a'so addressed the group on advertising and the fur trade in general, while Dr. Vance of Edmonton told about research and disease problems of the past year.

Other guests included H. G. Montgomery, past president of the Canadian Mink Breeders, his ranch manager from Wetaskiwin; Mr. Ross of Hudson's Bay Co. Edmonton; Mr. and Mrs. Anger of Cold Lake and Field Supervisor Gillies.

Judges at the show were Mr. Johnston; J. White, Hudson's Bay Co., Montreal and Mr. Muilston, Edmonton.

Injured In Tractor Mishap

HYLO — Due to a tractor accident C P. Warren is in the Lac la Biche hospital with fractured ribs and a badly-bruised leg. While he was driving alone from Caslan, Nov. 2 his tractor rolled over in the ditch, pinning his leg. He managed to release himself and made his way to B. Krawchuk's home some distance away. Mr. Krawchuk drove the injured man to his home at Hylo and he was later taken to the hospital. The report is that he is recovering satisfactorily.

Drilling Company To Operate Near Lac la Biche

Hopes were high in this town last week as Tri City drilling company moved into the area and set up a drilling rig south east of the town. Officials of the Sage Oil Company of Edmonton, who have large lease holdings in and around Lac la Biche, are confident that natural gas in abundance is waiting to be tapped at a level of about 800 feet. Should the drillers not encounter any setbacks, it should be only a matter of days until the question mark is removed.

The site of the well is about two miles from the town, on property of Felix Rizzoli. Should gas be found it is not expected that any pipe lines will be laid to connect to the town until spring. Utilities companies are watching developments with keen interest, and it seems evident that no time will be lost in arranging for distribution of gas to the town as soon as the good news breaks.

We've Got Gas!

LAC LA BICHE—We've got gas! A natural gas well was struck thre miles outside the town Tuesday by Sage Oil Co. Ltd.

The strike bore out a prediction by Blake A. Sage, general manager of the company, who said he was confident of securing a good supply of natural gas at a depth of around 800 feet.

Last month Sage Oil officials had announced plans to drill the wells on the southeast quarter of section 5 and northwest quarter of section 4 Legal subdivision 7. The sites are on property owned by Art Cadieux and Felix Rizolli.

Watch next week's issue for further details.

Funeral Rites For Pioneer

LAC LA BICHE — John Prince a pioneer resident of the Egg Lake district, passed away Nov. 3 in the Youville Home at St. Albert, at the age of 85.

Coming to this area in 1914, Mr. Prince homesteaded at Egg Lake and was well known throughout the country for his skill as a lumberjack.

A bachelor, Mr. Prince had no relatives in this country and had made his home for years with the George Langevins, until he entered the Youville Home this summer.

Funeral Rites were held in St. Albert and burial was in the St. Albert Cemetery.

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Venice

Mr. and Mrs. Rocco Giacobbo and family have moved to Edmonton where they will reside.

Quinto Bonifacio of Edmonton, accompanied by his father, Pio Bonifacio recently visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bonifacio.

Jean Piquette of Morinville visited in the district.

Mrs. Tony Zevo'a from Edmonton was a guest at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. V. Zevola.

Mrs. Ann Biollo was a recent patient in St. Catherine's Hospital, Lac la Biche.

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Wedding Dance At Owl River School Honors Mr. and Mrs. S. Mehalcheon

OWL RIVER — The biggest social event of the season in this district was the wedding-dance given Oct. 30 in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Mehalcheon.

The bride, the former Miss Agnes Viellette, was beautiful in a white net wedding gown with fingertip veil to match. Bridesmaids Miss Lucy Mehalcheon and Miss Eva Teroux chose waltz-length net evening gowns of blue and pink respectively.

The bride's mother wore an aqua costume and the groom's mother was dressed in shell-pink.

Groomsmen were Mr. Oliver Viellette and Mr. Daniel Viellette, brothers of the bride.

Owl River No. 2 school, where the dance was held was filled to capacity with relatives and friends of the newlyweds.

Lunch was served to all at midnight.

L.A. Notes

RICH LAKE — The regular meeting of the United Church Ladies Aid was held Nov. 1, at the home of Mrs Hazel Kumpula with ten members present.

Rev. Mr. Monroe presented members with copies of the Observer, the United Church magazine.

Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Audrey Elliott, a new member.

Terry Kumpula, employed at Edgerton, spent a week with his parents.

Work on Rink

HYLO — Under the able leadership of the skating rink committee and the satisfactory co-operation of the community as a whole, work on the skating rink site is progressing rapidly. The posts were peeled, treated and put up and a surprising amount of levelling was done when the group met in the afternoon of Nov. 2.

Mrs. Hayes Dies

Funeral services attended by a large crowd, were held in the Amber Valley Church on Nov. 2 for Mrs. Winny Hayes who passed away at the age of 95 years. Rev. McCray officiated.

Many memorial wreaths were received.

Survivors are one daughter, Mrs. A. Saunders, and one son Willie Shellby.

Surprise Party

BAYVIEW — A surprise birthday party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Stupak, Oct. 30, in honor of Mr. Stupak, when friends from town and the surrounding district assembled to enjoy an evening of fun.

A buffet supper was served and Mr. Stupak was presented with a number of attractive gifts.

Wandering River

Edward Strayski, stationed at the RCAF Station at Cold Lake, was home for the weekend.

Peter Goruk of Bellis was a recent guest at the home of Nick Strayski.

Mr. and Mrs. Metro Terfanako recently visited their daughter Gladys in Edmonton where she is attending university.

Hold Party

BOYLE — About 30 children gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hayton, Jr. for a Hallowe'en party Oct. 31.

They first enjoyed a wiener roast, then played games indoors. The party was climaxed with a lunch.

Masquerade Dance

GRASSLAND — A large crowd was present at the masquerade dance on Hallowe'en, sponsored by the students' union.

Prizes for costumes were won by D. S. Semeniuk; Donny and Mary Fleming and Mr. and Mrs. John.

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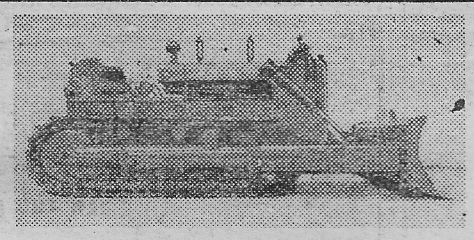

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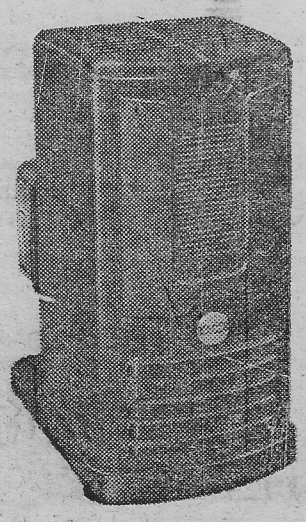

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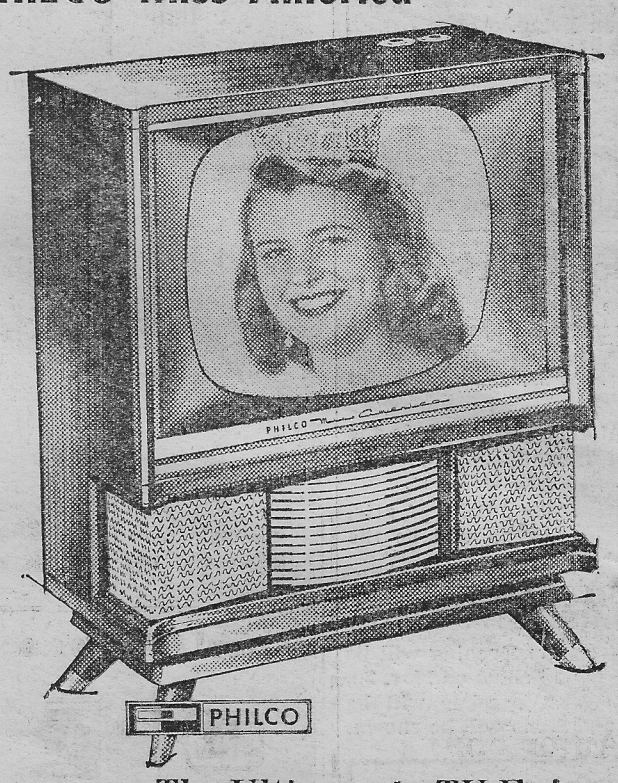

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Hospital News

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Boucher of Noral a boy; Mr. and Mrs. Aurele Plamondon of Plamondon a boy.

Lac la Biche

Miss Olga Bakay is a weekend guest of her sister Mrs. John Benuik. Miss Bakay recently returned from a convention in Saskatoon of representatives from the universities of the four western provinces. She was chosen to represent the University of Alberta.

Mrs. R. S. H. Greene and daughted Katherine are enjoying several weeks visit with relatives and friends at Hamilton, Ont. Rev. Mr. Greene's mother, Mrs. Heather Greene, of Kitchener, Ont., is staying with her son and caring for the two boys during Mrs. Greene's absence.

Municipal Districts Assoc., FUA Hold Conventions Next Few Weeks

EDMONTON — Two important Alberta conventions will be held here within the next few weeks. Three hundred persons are expected at the four-day 50th convention of the Alberta Association of Municipal Districts, Nov. 18 - 21. One thousand will attend the Farmers' Union of Alberta convention, Dec. 8 - 12.

Resolutions endorsed at the Municipal Districts' convention will be put before the government in January and acted upon in the next session of the legislature, probably in February. Generally about 30 resolutions are brought before the convention.

MAIN SPEAKERS

Chief speakers include: Hon. A. J. Hooke, minister of municipal affairs, Wednesday, 10 a.m.; John Lyon, secretary of inter-department committee on winter employment, Wednesday, 11 a.m.; Hon. Gordon Taylor, minister of highways, Wednesday, 2:30 p.m.; J. E. Brownlee, QC, solicitor for the association, and president of United Grain Growers, Thursday, 10 a.m.; Hon. J. Donovan Ross, minister of health, Thursday, 2 p.m.; Senator Donald Cameron, director, Banff School of Fine Arts, Thursday, 6:30 p.m., and Hon. L. C. Halmrast, minister of agriculture. Friday, 11 a.m.

The Hon. J. J. Bowlen, lieutenant governor of Alberta, Premier E. C. Manning and Mayor William Hawrelak of Edmonton, have been invited to open the convention Tuesday morning.

Delegates' wives will be entertained at a tea given Tuesday afternoon by the Alberta Wheat Pool and another tea Wednesday afternoon hosted by the United Grain Growers. Thursday morning, the Sun Publishing Co. Ltd. and CFRN co-host a coffee party for the ladies.

100 FUA RESOLUTIONS

Livestock, grain, car insurance, electric power will be among the expected 100 resolutions to be submitted to the FUA convention in December.

Opening speech will be given Monday, Dce. 8 by Hon. Douglas Harkness, federal minister of agriculture; Dec. 9, Dr. L. Hitchmanova, director of Unitarian services CARE, will speak. W. C. MacNamara, chief commissioner of the Canadian Wheat Board, will be the main speaker on Dec. 10, while the final address will be given Dec. 11 by Hon. A. J. Hooke

Some snails can remain apparently dead for years without the need for food, and then revive and and live as though they had been eating just as usual all that time.

Atmore

Mrs. Bill Isaac has returned to her home at Athabasca after spending a week with her family here.

Margaret Heatherington made a business trip to Edmonton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Heatherington and family motored to Perryvale last Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. R. Guedo and family.

Peggy Matheson is staying at the William Campbell home while her mother, Mrs. Ronnie Matheson, is in Edmonton for treatments.

Max Stanchfield, formerly stationed at McMurray, spent the weekend with his parents. He is now timber-crusing in the Calling Lake district.

Mrs. Roderick Baldwin has been in Lac la Biche hospital underging medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fischer have been visiting in the Atmore district.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Verkland and family of Edmonton spent the weekend at the William Campbell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Draper were weekend visitors of the Campbell family here.

Cricket fighting was a favorite game in India.

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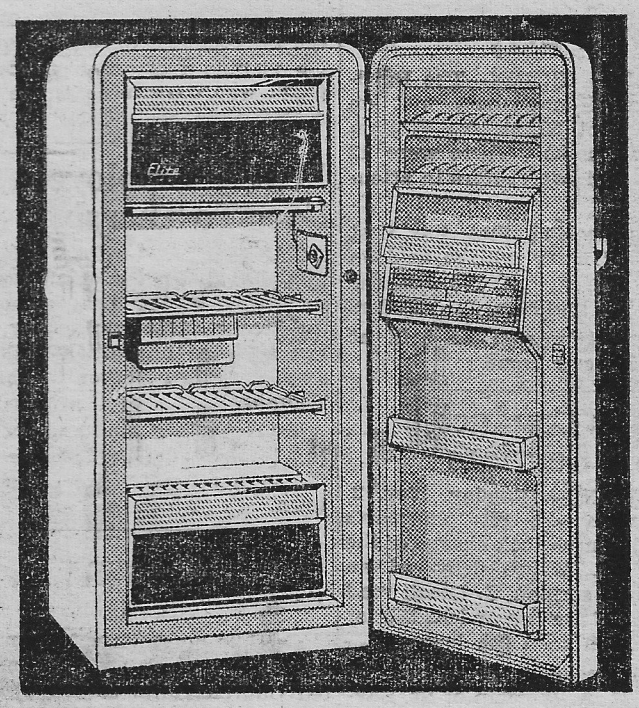
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Alberta District News In Brief

CBC Commentators Address Farm Forum Rally At Vegreville Armory

LAVOY — Addresses by Jack Trower, CBC farm commentator in Edmonton, and Lionel Moore, regional director for the CBC in Winnipeg, highlighted the Farm Forum rally held Monday evening at the Vegreville Armory.

Approximately 90 persons representing ten Forums in the area from Vegreville to Vermilion heard Mr. Trower tell of some his more interesting experiences as Farm Commentator in Alberta since arriving here about three years ago, who also stated how hospitable he found the people in this province, and how much he had enjoyed the Banff Workshop last year. Mr. Moore gave various aspects of the make-up of the "Jackson's and their Neighbors," commenting on the work involved in creating a radio program and also dealt on the TV angle, in programs of special interest to farm folk.

Chairwoman Mrs. Irene Ziegler kept the evening's agenda moving as guests were introduced, business attended to, and a lively discussion followed the broadcast on "What Price Freedom" in which 12 groups recorded their findings. A rousing sing-song was led by Lee Giebelhaus.

Provincial Council Chairman, Hans Mayer, gave a brief resume of the future of Farm Radio Forum in Alberta this coming season, also stating the new national secretary is Roger Schwass, who will also act as editor of the Forum Guide, which has a new format this year. Three regional broadcasts will be heard this season and will include vital topics such as "Crop Insurance" and "Livestock Marketings". A field man has been employed for a short while in order to sell Farm Forum in Alberta, and it is hoped to see many new Forums begun.

Lunch was served by members of the Northern Committee who also sponsored the rally this fall.

A silver collection was taken as our contribution to the banquet to be held at the National Hall in Vegreville, jointly sponsored by the Vegreville Exhibition Board and the Chamber of Commerce, for the visiting farmers from Drake, Sask., who were to be in the area at that time.

District Honors Trenholm Family Before Departure

THORHILD — The manager at the Thorhild branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Sydney Trenholm, has been moved to Yorkton, Sask.

Mr. and Mrs. Trenholm and family have been residents of the Thorhild community for nearly five years now, and they will be greatly missed in this community. Both were active in local affairs. Mrs. Trenholm has supervised the United Church Sunday School for the past four years, was an active member of the Ladies Aid group, and was a member of the team that wrote the Chatelaine story which won the club award of $100 for this group.

Mr. Trenholm was a keen curler, a member of the Thorhild Lions, Thorhild Canadian Legion, and Community Association.

Legion, Lions, and Community Clubs sponsored a farewell party for the Trenholms at the Thorhild Legion Hall, attended by many of their friends. During the course of the evening they were presented with a hand-tooled wallet containing $60.00.

This was also an opportunity to introduce Mr. Wolfe, the new manager, to the people of the community. Mr. Wolfe was transferred here from Calgary. Mrs. Wolfe and their two children are expected to arrive in the course of the next few days.

Group To Hold Euchre Party

BOWLING GREEN—The Bowling Green Homemakers met on Thursday, Oct. 30, at Mrs. William Warrilow's home. There were 12 members and two visitors in attendance.

It was decided that the first euchre card party will be held on Friday, Nov. 21, 8:30 p.m., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Peden.

Next meeting will be held at Mrs. A. Bruce's home.

Laymen Conduct Church Services

MINBURN — Sunday, Nov. 2, the laymen of St. Timothy's Anglican church took charge of the service. Mr. Myhre delivered an appropriate sermon, J. Leach read the Order of Service and A. Minter and D. Nash read the lessons. ....

At the conclusion of this service the Rev. K. A. Minchin of St. Savior's, Vermilion, assisted by the Rev. H. Shell of Christ Church Mannville, officiated at the Holy Communion.

Local Resident Wins At Bingo

MANNVILLE — Mrs. Lena Ackerman had an uncanny feeling all day on Oct. 29, the day of the Lloydminster bingo, and upon arriving there, she felt the same way.

As the cards were watched she found herself tied for the $1000 prize and only one number off the $5000 one. As the rules provided tied games would be split Mrs. Ackerman, proprietress of the Hotel Coffee Shop at Mannville, received $500, which she reports as a great thrill to have won.

Secretary Goes Back To School

Town secretary-treasurer J. G. Gordon will be absent from the office the first Tuesday of each month to attend lectures at the University of Alberta. The lectures are being given in a new course introduced this year by the Alberta government in municipal financing. Part of the course is by correspondnce and will last for three years and lead to a certificate in municipal management.

Goriniuks Feted At Housewarming

SMOKY LAKE — A housewarming was held for Mr. and Mrs. Goriniuk in their new home. Friends and relatives presented them with many beautiful and useful gifts, including a television set from the children; vacuum cleaner and $60 cash from those assembled there for the occasion; TV lamp from Mr. and Mrs. Bill Yasinski; electric clock from Mr. and Mrs. Nick Lepatski's little girls; electric coffee pot from Mary and Alec Zukiwski; electric kettle from Mrs. Odynak, a neighbor; electric frying pan from relatives; electric shaving set from Ewashko children; and an end-table lamp from Mr. and Mrs. Kolody of Edmonton.

Injured In Collision

MUSIDORA — A truck and car collision on the outskirts of Musidora, Nov. 1, sent Nick Ewashko to hospital in Two Hills, where his condition is described as good.

Nick was a passenger in a car driven by Bill Pundick of Two Hills. Driver of the truck involved was Emil Yasako of Derwent.

Damage to the car was about $500 and to the truck approximately $100.

Beaver Employee Goes To Thorsby

MANNVILLE — Robert Calder, who has been an employee for some time at the local branch of the Beaver (Alberta) Lumber Ltd., has accepted a position with the same company, Beaver Lumber at Thorsby.

Replacing him, and apprenticing to the work is Jim Scott, son of Castle Scott who lives south of town.

Church Groups Serve Meals

Thorhild housewives had an easy weekend. Saturday night the United Church ladies served a smorgasbord supper at the Legion Hall, and Sunday the Ukrainian Catholic ladies served dinner at the Community Hall.

DICK STRAZER LOSES BARGES IN FIRE ON MACKENZIE RIVER

VALLEYVIEW — Dick Strazer and Melvin Reber dropped down long enough to say Hello to their many friends here, Oct. 28, on their way back to Vancouver by private plane.

Dick is a former resident of this district and is now head of a new transportation enterprize on the Mackenzie River. Recently he lost all three of his barges by fire, and is on his way to the United States, having heard of some steel barges as possible replacements, and he says "We should be in business by spring."

Melvin Reber, Dick's right hand man, had many colorful stories to tell of the summer trip and the huge fire started when someone used gasoline in a stove.

Dick Strazer moved his family from Valleyview to Vancouver about a year ago, but says they may be back in this district for the winter.

Auxiliary Holds Tag Day

SMOKY LAKE — The Hospital Auxiliary's Tag Day, which was held Oct. 22 netted the auxiliary some $190. The auxiliary wishes to thank the public whole-heartedly for its generous support.

This money is used for small extras for patients in the hospital, furnishing of wards, buying layettes for needy mothers and many other donations to the hospital, including drapes and linens.

W. R. Cornish Attends Show

CHAILEY — W. R. Cornish was a member of the swine-culling committee at the recent Edmonton fall livestock show.

Mr. Cornish was also the purchaser of the reserve grand champion Yorkshire boar for a price of $210.00.

Mr. Cornish, owner of the "Murrayfield Shorthorn" herd recently sold a bull to N. Dushinsky, MLA for Willingdon constituency.

Social Credit Group Meets To Re-organize

A reorganizational meeting of the Mundare Social Credit Group No. 2 was held at Mundare, Oct. 14.

Elected to office were: Alex Sawchuk, president; Mike J. Lipak, vice-president; Louis W. Chmilar, secretary-treasurer, and John Laddish, reporter.

The main topic of discussion was the coming convention to be held in Vegreville, Nov. 15.

Next meeting will be held Nov. 6 at 8:00 p.m. for the purpose of appointing delegates for the Vegreville Convention. The officers hope this meeting will be well attended.

Can. Legion Important Factor In Social Life Of Every Community

MANNVILLE — If the local branch of the Canadian Legion were for some reason disbanded, its absence would create a tremendous void in the social life of the town.

Legion members are anything but vociferous in discussing their importance in the life of this, or any other, community but the fact is, they are extremely active in sponsoring social events which are beneficial to not their own special group, merely, but to all citizens.

The Legion in Mannville sponsors the Boy Scouts. All who have had children who have taken the scout training realize what a need it fills in the life of a boy and how essential such training is in the formation of a boy's character. In the Scouts, a boy learns a host of things, knowledge which it is hardly likely he will acquire elsewhere and, especially, under expert supervision.

Among its other worthwhile activities, the Legion sponsors the work of the St. John Ambulance Association, blood donor clinics and the hockey team.

Holding up its end socially, the Legion stages social evenings, occasional card games followed by dances and, at other times, just dances alone.

These various activities take time and much effort to plan and execute. Someone must do the work and, of course, the Ladies' Auxiliary has never been backward in volunteering its services whether the duty involved being partners at a dance, raising needed funds or, baking for a social evening.

Clennett Family Exhibits Lambs At Edmonton Fall Livestock Show

CHAILEY — The Charles Clennett family entered 16 choice market lambs in the 1958 Edmonton fall livestock show.

In the junior competition David Clennett won first in both the trimming and judging contests. His lamb stood third and Joan Clennett's entry took 5th place in the junior class.

In the open competition Charles Clennett won first prize with a pen of three and a pen of five lambs, and second with his entry in the single class.

Mr. Clennett purchased the Southdown ram at the sheep sale.

SMOKY LAKE officers and Navy League Cadets of the R.C.S.C.C. Algonquin are shown after their presentation of the Lord Strathcona Trust Fund presented to the corps making the most progress during the year. This award is for the province of Alberta, and comes along with a $50 cheque. Lt. E. A. Prescott, area officer, made the presentation. Officers seated from left to right are: Lt. Charles Ewashiuk, Lt. Franchuk, Lt. L. A. Prescott, Lt. Bob Garez, Lt. Antoniuk and Lt. Thompson. The cadets' bottle campaign held recent y was a success.--Photo by Gravinchuk Studio.

JOE STRAUSS, representing 9 Wing of the Royal Canadian Air Cadets in Edmonton, accepts the Brown-Jenkins Trophy from Group Captain C. V. Trites, commanding officer of RCAF Station Lincoln Park in Calgary, during the annual provincial committee meeting held in Edmonton. The Brown-Jenkins trophy is awarded annually to the most efficient Girl Cadet Unit in Alberta. Mr. A. B. Evenson, provincial chairman of the Air Cadet League of Canada, during the conference stated that 1958 was a most successful year for the Air Cadet movement in the province of Alberta.

Noral

Mrs. Mary Gordey is a patient in the Lac la Biche Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Grove and son Douglas, accompanied by George Skoreyk, and Mrs. K. Cesto and Patricia, accompanied by Mrs. B. Woychuk, made a business trip to Edmonton.

Harold Hansen is cutting brush along the road and curves.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Gordey have moved to Westview, B.C., for the winter months.

A road construction gang finishing the road by Mike Kniazky's farm.

C. P. Warren overturned his small tractor at the William Krawchuk's farm.

Mr. and Mrs. George Waselenchuk visited the Woychuk family over the weekend.

Bayview

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Charleneau and daughter of Lac la Biche Mission have been guests of B. Barr.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Varin have left the district to make their home in Plamondon.

Mr. and Mrs. Polish of Blue Jay and Mr. and Mrs. J. Onischuk of Grassland were recent visitors in this district.

Mike Lisc Lisc and son Walter have returned home after an extended stay in the St. Catherine's Hospital, Lac la Biche.

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Hylo

Mr. A. Lozenski returned from the hospital Friday.

O. Pivin is preparing for his return trip to camp.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Joa of Hillmond and two sons were weekend visitors at the Bourassa home.

Sam Romulk, a forest ranger stationed near Grande Prairie in the Peace River region, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lozinski.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Marchasi is the latter's mother, Mrs. M Reece from Waterways.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Poholski over the weekend were son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Revega and baby of Newbrook and Miss Verna Revega, employed at Newbrook and Paul Poholski of Edmonton.

Miss Arlene Caren and Larry and Eddy Rayment were weekend visitors at the home of the latters' mother, Mrs. J. Rayment.

Carl Juknies was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Juknies over the weekend.

Albert Warren has gone to Smith to seek employment at a sawmill.

Mrs. Fred Poholski, Mrs. Paul Mahowich and Miss Phyllis Michetti are patients in the Lac la Biche Hospital.

The main street of Hylo has been improved and now extends farther south without cutting through lots as it did before.

Nick Gushinsky, accompanied by Mike Stasiewich, motored home for the weekend. Both are employed in Edmonton.

Leo Kaduik of Edmonton is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kaduik.

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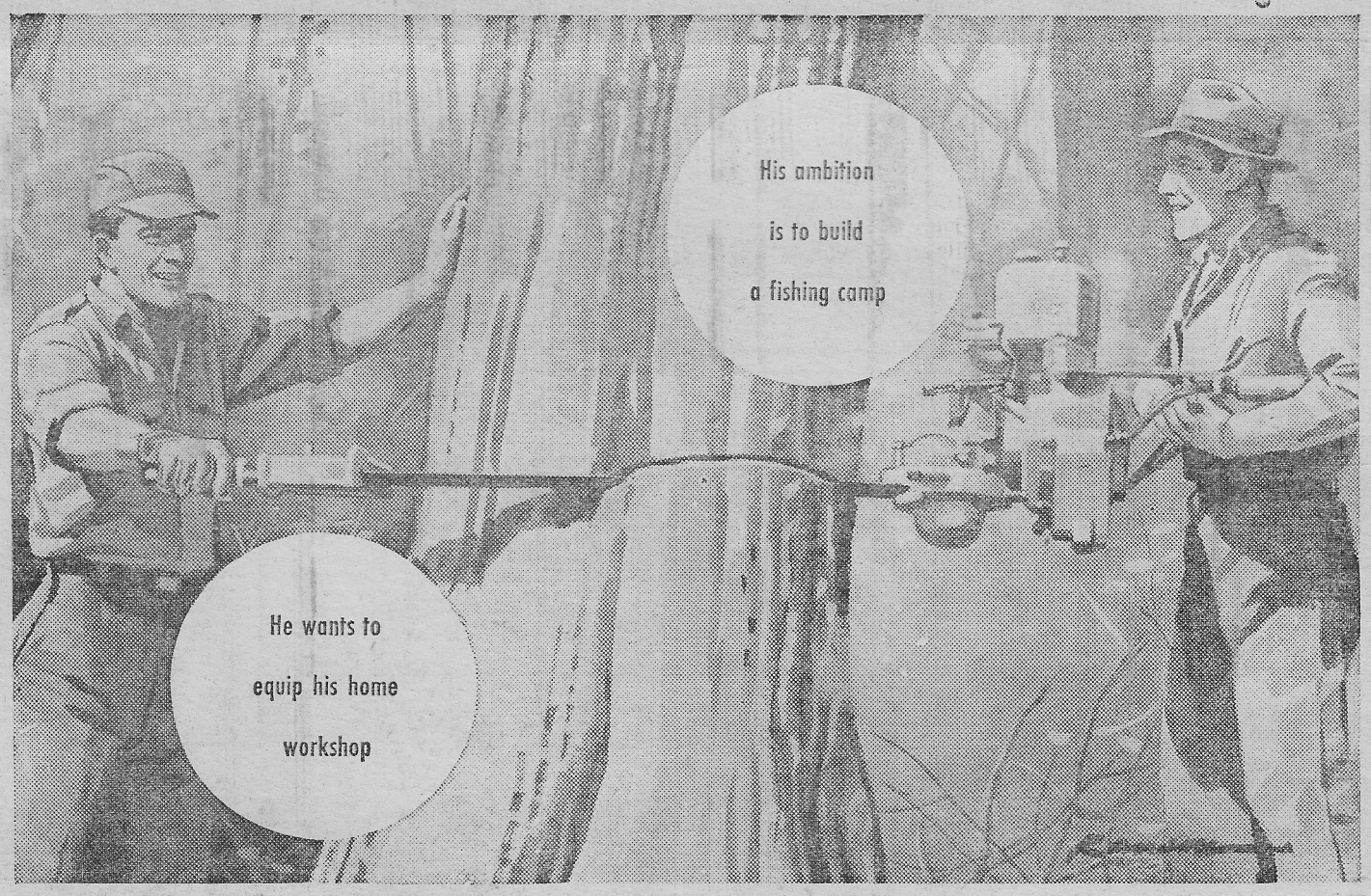

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Edmonton Favors Individual Homes

EDMONTON — The idea of an institution-type home for senior citizens in Edmonton has been scrapped. Instead a committee of four will study possibilities of distributing small homes for the aged throughout the city.

Mayor William Hawrelak announced that agreement on the principle of integrating senior citizens with the rest of the community, rather than setting them apart in an institution, was reached when the mayor met with Hon. R. D. Jorgenson, provincial welfare minister.

Construction of accommodation for 800 senior citizens in Edmonton is part of the government's recently-announced five-year plan.

Floyd Baker, MLA Nominated At SC Convention

Floyd M. Baker, MLA, won a unanimous nomination when a Social Credit convention for Clover Bar provincial riding was held in the East Edmonton community hall.

Mr. Baker has held the seat for 23 years, having been first elected at the 1935 general election. This is the seventh time he has been chosen as the Social Credit standard bearer.

The convention drew a large attendance from all parts of the constituency which taxed the hall's seating capacity, according to party officials.

Hon. A. J. Hooke, minister of municipal affairs was the speaker. He gave an outline of the government's five-year program. Orvis A. Kennedy, president of the Alberta Social Credit League also attended.

Sarrail

Visitors to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hewko were Mr. and Mrs. John Dascuck and family of Lamont

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Hewko and John Puriarski visited Mr. and Mrs. Mike Luc of Plamondon.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Marchak and Mrs. Andy Hewko motored to Edmonton.

Feted At Dinner

BOYLE — The local teachers gave a farwell dinner at the Matador in honor of Mrs. Bernard Hart.

The guest of honor was presented with a set of tea cups.

Rev. and Mrs. Hart and son David will leave for High Prairie the latter part of November.

The average width of a human hair is approximately 1/48th of an inch.

CANADA'S TWO LARGEST retail organizations, the T. Eaton and Robert Simpson companies, will both occupy space in a new $25,000,000 shopping plaza in Metropolitan Toronto. The companies have been neighbors and competitors in downtown Toronto for almost a century and this is their first venture into shopping centre competition. J. A. Brockie of Eaton's and John Porter of Simpson's here examine the plans for the new centre which will spread over 80 acres.

Local Residents At Talent Show

RICH LAKE — Several local residents attended the first A.T.C. Search for Talent show of the season Nov. 1, in beautiful Glen Avon Auditorium at St. Paul.

There were two acts of local interest, namely, 2, a guitar duet by Stanley Bergheim and Arnold Onciul, and 3, the Turgeon Orchestra with vocal by Joan Turgeon. The latter was in second place at the close of the program.

It was unfortunate the program could not be broadcast because of technical difficulties.

Hold Bazaar

The Ladies of the Greek Orthodox Church held a successful bazaar and sale of home cooking Nov. 6 in the Memorial Hall. All supplies of fancywork, aprons and home baking were disposed of.

The raffle of home cooked food was won by Marie Salling of Craigend.

Yugoslavia has agreed to buy about 7 million bushels of wheat from Russia under their 1958 trade agreement. Earlier this year Russia refused to sell any wheat to Yugoslavia which has had a poor wheat harvest.

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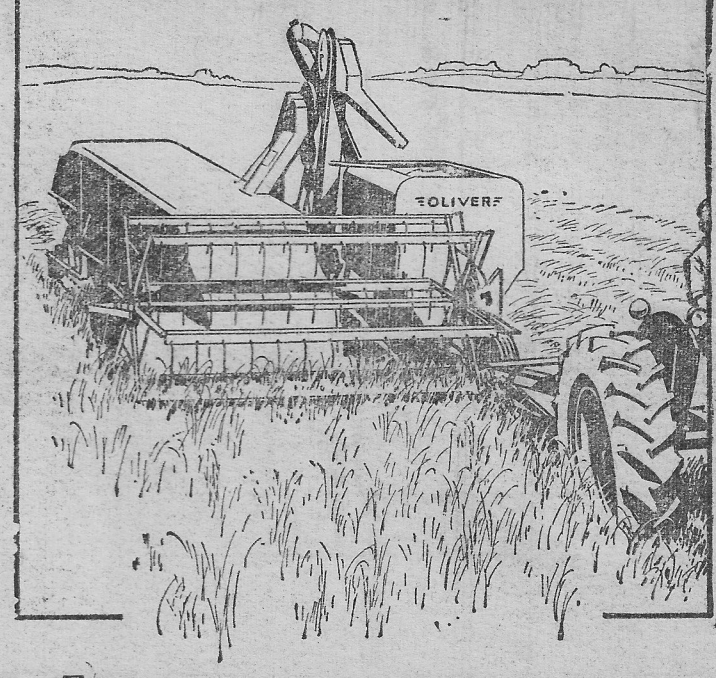

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Province To Spend $19,000,000 To Curb Winter Unemployment

EDMONTON — Alberta has earmarked $19,000,000 to finance various government winter projects which have been planned to help relieve winter employment.

The land clearing program is going ahead and the Mackenzie River highway construction work is employing a heavy labor force. Any project planned for winter months which runs short of money, will be kept in operation by funds furnished under a special warrant.

These figures and facts were announced by the Hon. R. Reierson, Minister of Industries and Labor, at a meeting last Wednesday, when three levels of government met with the Winter Employment Campaign Co-ordinating Committee in the office of E. H. Cave, manager of the National Employment Service.

In his remarks, the Hon. Mr. Reierson said that leaders in both government and industry realized that the workers of Alberta crave steady, year-round work, not a chance to draw Unemployment Insurance benefits. "We don't have to wait for unemployment," the minister said, "we have it here right now. If we are unable to correct the situation at this time, we must try to at least alleviate it. Any employment created or maintained can be of tremendous value."

He went on to say that Alberta has already notified the federal government that the province will undertake the forestry road work again this year. The province is prepared to co-operate fully with the federal government in any measure design to relieve unemployment.

In concluding his informal talk, the labor minister discussed the province's vocational training program. In answer to a question from D. Graham, a member of the co-ordinating committee, he said that vocational trainees were not subsidized by the government last year but received their tuition fee. This free training helped to reduce unemployment by furnishing industry with men trained to perform jobs in certain lines of work where workers were in short supply.

Mayor Hawrelak, speaking for the city, said that Edmonton plans to spend $29,000,000 in construction of new assets in a program designed to carry on throughout the year. The city is pushing construction of houses and low-rental homes. The Lions Club is about to start on homes-for-the-aged building program amounting to $250,000. This year, work has started on 550 more houses than were built last year, which places Edmonton third among the cities of Canada for the amount of its construction for the year.

Mr. Cave outlined briefly what steps the federal government is taking in an area covering some 365,000 square miles, which includes the Northwest Territories. In addition to its considerable public works program, the federal government has launched an appeal to the residents of all cities, towns and districts across Canada to back up the Winter Employment Campaign by arranging their minor repairs and alterations to coincide with the winter months.

The question period brought to light the fact that Edmonton's unemployment situation is aggravated by an average monthly influx of 500 people coming to the city to seek work. It was stressed that there has been no appreciable falling off in local business Increases in the number of unemployed in the city are not due to local businesses laying off staff but to the presence of outsiders who come from points as far off as Halifax to seek work in Edmonton. In passing, it was noted that there has been a marked increase in the number of married women seeking work in the city.

Wm. G. Bide, of the National Employment Service, was chairman of the meeting and briefly outlined the aims of the Winter Employment Campaign. It is an attempt to realistically come to grips with the perennial problem of winter unemployment by providing a better balance between summer and winter employment. The committee is seeking ways, means and ideas which will help solve this pressing problem which recurs every year, not only in the construction trades, but in all phases of business and industry.

Each of the speakers gave emphasis to the fact that in this, its fourth year of operation, the Winter Employment Campaign was getting off to an early start and that the federal, provincial and civic governments were in a better position this year than ever before, to cope with unemployment.

Hold Meeting

BOYLE — An FUA meeting was held in the community hall Friday evening.

Sydney Alexander and Huram Jonson were appointed to canvass the district for members.

Feted at Party

HYLO — A birthday party was held in honor of Eddy Rayment on Sunday, Nov. 2.

The evening was spent in dancing, games and presentation of gifts.

Lunch climaxed an enjoyable evening.

Charron

Fred Fischer, employed by the Dominion Drilling Co., has been home for a visit.

A house-warming party was held in Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Ilnicki's new house.

Mr. and Brs. Bryce Coonan and family and Mr. and Mrs Mickey Shapka of Wandering River visited the district recently.

Sandy Karpetz and son Rodney motored to Edmonton.

A birthday party was held in honor of Joanna Cote, attended by many of her friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Roderick Baldwin of Atmore were visitors in the district.

Residents attending the Roman Catholic church in Plamondon recently made a pilgrimage to the graveyard to visit the graves.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Shmerbyo of Boyle visited the Marcel Ilnicki and Joe Semeshavich homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Semeshavich motored to Edmonton to attend the wedding of Joe's sister.

Amber Valley

A Women's Institute meeting was held in the home of Mrs. Rebecca Mapp, after which a lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Algea Armstead and James Seward have returned to Calgary after spending a few days at home with their friends and relatives.

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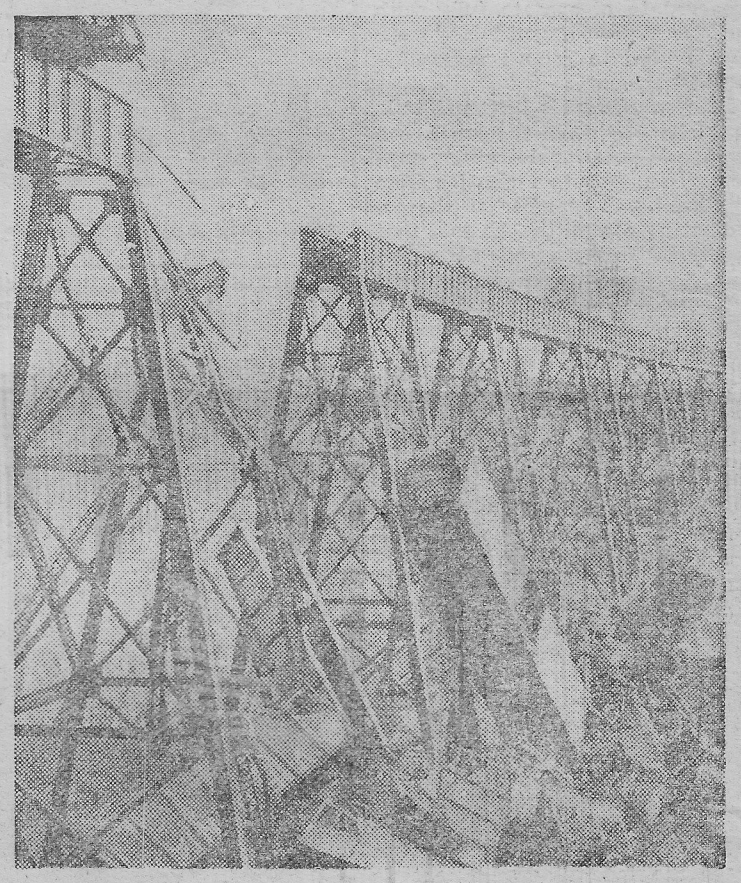
Pictures Of People In Peril

BUS DANGLES PRECARIOUSLY on a bridge near Izmir, Turkey, after it was involved in a collision with another bus. One person was killed —a young mother who leaped from the vehicle in panic with her baby in her arms. The infant was injured.

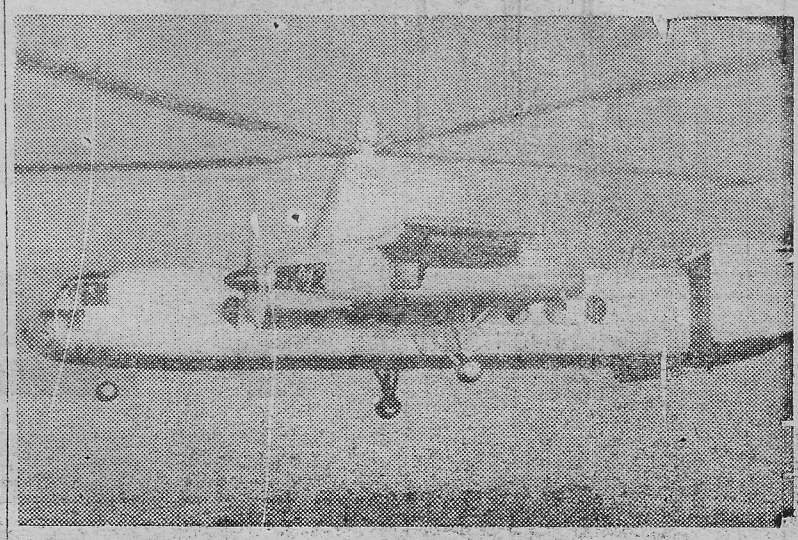
A U.S. COAST GUARD helicopter lowered a basket during the rescue of three brothers marooned on a jetty during a fishing trip off Coney Island. The 'copter made three trips, picking up one of the brothers on each. Beside losing their catch of fish to the swift tide that trapped them, they received summonses for violating the ordinance which prohibits trespassing on the jetty.

WOMEN WADING

SAN FRANCISCO — President Eisenhower declared storm-hit California a major disaster area eligible for federal relief in reply to an appeal by Governor Goodwin J. Knight who said storm and flood damage had reached $12,000,000. The governor's estimate did not include multi-million dollar crop damage. He appealed as gales, rain, snow and giant waves continued to hammer the state, already water-soaked from nearly a week of rains. All California suffered in the storms, from the Oregon line to the Mexican border. Forty-foot waves rolled against the San Francisco peninsula.



THIRTY-NINE CARS in the centre of a Virginian Railway Train plunged from this trestle into a creek in a derailment near Phoenix, Va. The engine crew on front end of train escaped as did four men in a caboose who came two car lengths from plunging over the torn-up trestle.



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Lac la Biche Mission

Mr. and Mrs. Rene Ladouceur were recent visitors in Edmonton.

Rodrique Tremblay and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Tremblay last Sunday

Mrs. Paul Parrento is undergoing medical treatment in hospital.

Gabriel Seuis and family have gone to Ansac for an indefinite period.

Nick Thomas of Edmonton made a business trip to this district last week.

Mrs. John Ulliac of Gourin, accompanied by her daughter and Mrs. Redman and Mr. Gauthier, made a business trip to the district.

Hallowe'en was celebrated by the children going from door to door for candies and apples.

Gourin

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Charest are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

Simonne Boulanger has accepted a situation at the York Hotel.

Serious Hallowe'en tricks were played at the Emile Ulliac home. Fluid was taken out of his tractor tires, anti-freeze was removed from the truck and tractor radiators.

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Lunch, highlighted by a large, beautifully decorated birthday cake, was served and the teenagers went home in good spirits.

Emilie received a sum of money and many attractive gifts.

Grassland

Last Sunday Mr. MacDonnell, on a flight from Moose Lake to Grand Centre, landed his light plane on the farm of Gabriel Szkdrupa. Blown off course by high winds, Mr. MacDonnell phoned the tower at Grand Centre and, obtaining a compass bearing, took off for his destination.

Mrs. Rose Fenchuk, who battered body was found in a ditch in the Calder area last week, was well known in this district. She was brought up by her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Myronik of Sarrail, and attended Grassland School some years ago.

Roy Foss received severe burns recently while attempting to extinguish flames that destroyed his car.

Visitors from Edmonton included Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Corse and John Sakulich.

Fingerprinting was not adopted as a method of identifying criminals until the 1880's.

Owl River

Mr. and Mrs. D. Skyrpar had as guests their daughter Katy and her husband of Chipman.

A Bible school for young and old is being conducted in Owl River No. 2 school every Sunday at 2:30 p.m. by the teacher of the school, Mr. McFarland.

Vandals in this community used Hallowe'en as an excuse to destroy personal property.

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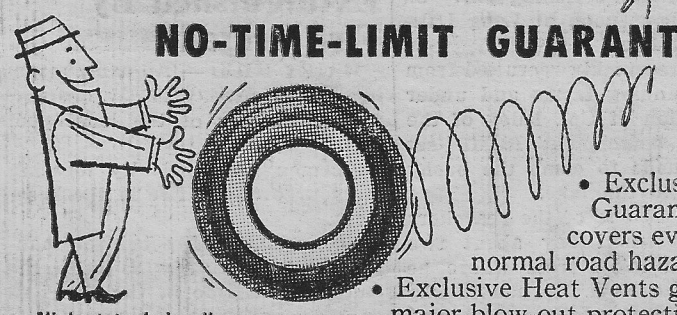

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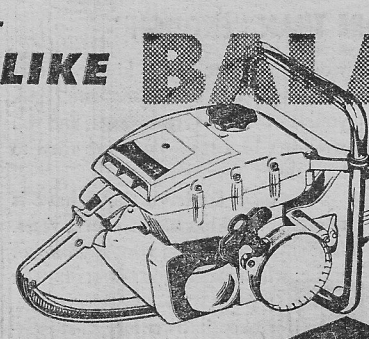

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Alberta District News In Brief

Smoky Lake Ratepayers Vote "Yes" To Setting Up County System

SMOKY LAKE — Ratepayers of Smoky Lake M.D. at a meeting in the Ukrainian National Hall voted 123 in favor of asking the government to set up a county form of government. Voting "no" were 43 ratepayers.

Nearly 300 ratepayers, municipal councillors and members of the Smoky Lake School Division board attended.

Discussion continued for more than three hours and centred around the lower millrate enjoyed by Thorhild county.

The required procedure to be taken before a county could be organized was outlined by A. Macyk, MLA for Redwater constituency, who is a ratepayer of the M.D.

It was mentioned that a petition is bejng circulated among ratepayers of the western section of the municipal district to break away from the present administrative unit and join the County of Thorhild, but a resolution asking for secession received the support of only the mover and the seconder.

The meeting was conducted by Ed Dziniak of Smoky Lake and Frank Sikora of Northbank was the recording secretary.

Two Hills Elks Install New Officers

The Two Hills branch of Benevolent Protective Order of Elks conducted the annual installation ceremonies of their new 1958-59 officers on Thursday, Oct. 28 at Elks' Hall, Two Hills.

The following are the new officers: Exalted Ruler, Nick Myskiw; Leading Knight, Ralph Strinkauer; Loyal Knight, John Koznack; Lecturing Knight, George Pawliuk, Jr.; treasurer, Nick Alynick; secretary, Mike Koznack.

The lodge is also planning a two-day carnival on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 7 and 8.

Happy Ending In Search For Boy

The Redwater detachment of the RCMP was called out on Sunday to aid in the search for a small Edmonton lad, Bobbie Irwin, aged six who wandered away from his father's fishing party on Sunday about noon at Long Lake Provincial Park.

Men were quickly recruited from the surrounding farms and under the direction of Cpl. Riley of the Redwater detachment RCMP set out in squads to comb the bushy area around the lake.

About 4:30 one of the searchers found the small boy about two and a half miles from where he went in the bush. He had luckily wandered out onto the new government road, which is the only road in that part of the park.

Pool Hall Fire Extinguished By Fire Brigade

HAIRY HILL — An early morning fire Thursday partly destroyed the interior of the local pool hall.

Firemen had difficulty locating the source of the fire in the basement.

The volunteer fire brigade managed with difficulty to keep the stationary engine in the fire hall running and pumping water into the pool hall until the blaze was extinguished.

Town Streets Are Being Surveyed By Government

A survey of the town section of the streets of Redwater are now being surveyed by the Alberta Department of Highways with a probable view towards government paid for hard-surfacing in 1960.

This paving would, if done, only include the business section of the town. The town already has approached the government with a view to having the access road into the town hard surfaced. This work, with the town paving their portion of the road will be done next spring.

Hallowe'en Damages

MANNVILLE — Though the majority of Hallowe'en pranks were harmless, windows soaped and out buildings upset, there were a few reports of the work of more damaging acts, which always make bad feelings. However we understand that damages where the culprits have been caught, have been rectified and hope that others who got away without being detected will come forward and make restitution, as in the case of the resident (O.A. pensioner) who had a stone thrown through his window and the farmer with truck parked in front of theatre, who suffered four deflated tires and a cracked windshield.

Win Prizes At Costume Party

MUSIDORA — A large crowd attended the Hallowe'en dance at Musidora National hall, Oct. 29, with music supplied by the Northern Serenaders.

Winners for best costumes were: 1, Mrs. Helen Hamaliuk and Mrs. Mary Paulichuk, Ukrainian boy and girl; 2, Fred Boida and Marshall Eluik, cavemen; 3, Brian Elkow, spook and Andy Serna, horse; 4, Bill Herman, policeman and Raymond Serna, Chinese.

PHONE SERVICE INCREASED

THORHILD — Increased phone service became effective in Thorhild, Nov. 1. The phone will remain open from 8:00 a.m. till 11:00 p.m. every week-day. Sundays and holidays will remain the same, closed except for the two hours from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. A 24-hour telephone pay station service will be installed in the Corona Hotel.

Jim Strilchuk To Tour Europe

MUNDARE — Jim Strilchuk, son of Dr. and Mrs. N. C. Strilchuk, visited his parents and family for three weeks before leaving Oct. 15 for a tour of Europe.

He plans to spend three months in England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales, then cross to the continent where he will tour France, Italy, Germany, Switzerland, the Netherlands and Spain

Jim expects to return to Canada in April and spend the summer working in Banff before resuming his studies at the university next fall.

Missionary Visits District

MANNVILLE — Visiting friends at Mannville and district is Miss Marion Smith, Anglican missionary from Ontario, who has been serving in the far north mission field. She is presently a guest of Mrs. Frank Renspies and Mr. Renspies and family.

ABUNDANT LIFE

by ORAL ROBERTS

YOU CAN HAVE MORE THAN "ENOUGH"

The prodigal son sat dejectedly on the hog-pen fence. He looked at his miserable and degrading surroundings. Then in quick panorama, his mind wandered back over the past . . . to the home he had left; the good friends that he had; a wonderful, generous father; tasty food; nice clothes and a comfortable bed.

He looked again at the holes in his shoes, his dirty, ragged clothes, felt the surge of desperate hunger grab his stomach.

Then, slowly and deliberately, he said these words aloud: "I've been a fool! In my father's house there is food enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger. I'm going back home." And he did!

Another young man was there also—his brother. But when the rejoicing began over the prodigal's return, the elder brother turned purple with rage. He stamped his feet and confronted his father with these words: "You've treated me as dirty as a man can be treated.

"I've never disobeyed you. I've always been honorable and at no time have I ever brought shame upon you. Yet, you've never given me even a little old goat (a kid) to make merry with my friends.

"Now when this rascal who has shamed you comes rambling back home, you even kill the fatted calf for him. I think it's a low-down way to do, and you can't make it right with me!"

But listen to this good father, "Son, all these years you've been with me. And you could have had a party with your friends at any time. But you wouldn't let me be the kind of father that I wanted to be. In your own mind, you've made me a hard master, and you wouldn't be a son! You have tried to be a slave!

"But look, Son! All that I have is thine! . . . and has been all these years. If at any moment you want anything of mine, whatever it is, it's yours for the asking."

In this twentieth century, that paradox still exists. God wants to be very good to us. He wants us to have the best. He has enough and "to spare." He not only desires that we have just enough to get by, but there is the surplus (more than we need) available for the asking.

The greatest surprise that some people will ever have when they get to heaven will be this: They have lived so poorly in the good things of life (spiritually, financially, mentally and physically), when they could have been so rich with enough and to spare!

How do we come into possession of these promises? How do they become substance rather than promise?

I would suggest to you that you begin thinking about the fact that you are a son of God. Let that fact grow and become large to you. Then suddenly you will begin to look for these promises to be kept. You become aware that they are yours by natural right since your own Father has said it.

There is a surplus of good things for you. God has "more than enough." And these are his words. "All that I have is thine."

Patricia Stepchuk Recipient Of Governor-General's Medal

By MRS. LILE FUNDYTUS

MUNDARE — The Home and School Association held its first meeting of the term on Oct. 27 with "Guidance Through the Home and School" as its theme.

The program began with the inspirational "Thanksgiving Hymn" sung by a chorus of grade nine girls under the leadership of Miss Gwen Polomark.

D. Ulan, president of the association welcomed the parents present. He announced that the Home and School will hold a dance in the High School Auditorium on Nov. 14. The official opening of the new section of the school was under discussion. This will take place in the latter part of November.

Following this principal P. F. Malko introduced the 25 teachers on the teaching staff of the school.

J. H. Blocksidge, superintendent of school in the Lamont division presented Miss Patricia Stepchuk with the Governor-General's medal for the highest rating in grade nine. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Stepchuk of Mundare who were present together with Patricia's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Basisty.

This was the fourth consecutive presentation of the medal to students of the Mundare school. The three medals preceding this one went to Annabelle Shuiba, Larry Choma and Sharon Sutherland.

A. A. Aldridge, provincial supervisor of guidance, addressed the parents on "Guidance and Careers." He reviewed the wide field of careers open to the youth of today. He stressed the vital importance of choosing a career is to the pupil as well as to Canada.

The refreshment committee served doughnuts and coffee to the parents present.

Host and hostess for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Trohimchuk.

The executive chosen at a previous meeting consists of president, D. Ulan; vice-president, Michael Slipanki; recording and corresponding secretary, Mrs. Anne Daskewich; program committee, Mrs. Connie Sutherland (convener) Harry Babiy, Steve Ferleyko, Mrs. Anne Strilchuk; social committee, Mrs. Jean Winnicki (convener), Mrs. Sophie Diduch, John Batuik, Edwin Batuik; refreshment committee, Mrs. Adeline Bezubiak (convener), Mrs. Dora Slipanki, Mrs. Mary Koroluk, Mrs. Rose Martinuik, Mrs. D. Ulan, Mrs. Jean Miskew; publications, Mike Novakowsky (convener), Mrs. Jean Kindraka, Mike Pylypchan; musical director, Miss Gwen Polomark; membership, Con Suchkiw (convener), Henry Morozuik associate president, P. F. Malko; tentative program committee, Sister Marion, Harry Babiy, Miss Gwen Polomark.

Hrynyk, Antoniuk Win Council Seats

CHIPMAN — In the Oct. 15 elections the two vacant seats on the council were filled by William Hrynyk, 63, and William Antoniuk 58. Defeated candidate was Phil Krezanowski, 38.

Wins In Contest

Bill Ulrickson of Redwater was a recent winner in the "Who Wrote It" contest being conducted by the Master-Bilt Ring Binder Co.

Bill entered the contest at Luke's Drugs Ltd. in Redwater, and answered the questions. His winning ticket No. 8016 was drawn and Bill will receive a "Telix" wrist watch.

Win Prizes

SMOKY LAKE — The winners in the raffle held at the Catholic Church bazaar were; 1, Harry Wilinski, pair of sheets; 2, Mrs. Welechuk, tray; 3, Bonnie Achtymichuk, towel set.

Town Washes Windows

MANNVILLE — While strolling down town the morning of Nov. 1, the local editor was struck with the burst of energy on the part of the local business men, all of whom were busily engaged washing their windows.

Upon seeking for a conceivable reason for this united effort of all places of business, it was concluded that the beautiful sunny day was the only possible answer, aided by a gentle prod from the ghost of Hallowe'en.

Edwin Torrance Robbed In City

MANNVILLE — While on a visit to Edmonton and staying at a well known hotel, Edwin Torrance had the misfortune to have his room broken into and an electric razor, a new shirt (expensive type newly purchased) and other miscellaneous articles stolen.

During the fourteen years of patronizing the same hotel, this is the first time anything has happened of this nature, and Edwin has a warning to give future residents of hotels, namely keep all belongings locked in suitcase. It would seem more protection could be offered in said hotel.

Prefab House Arouses Interest

MANNVILLE — Nothing interests the public so much as something new, and this apparently was the reason why over a hundred people visited the prefabricated house under construction by R. Bodard and workmen, and belonging to Alf Christensen. The lot on which the house is being erected is directly north of the R. Lugg residence, and it is interesting to watch the building as it takes shape, all parts being cut to size.

MRS. HRYSOY SHOOTS MOOSE

EGREMONT — It's hurrah for the ladies, especially hunters!

Mr. and Mrs. William Hrysoy went on a big-game hunting trip and came back with a moose.

Mrs. Lena Hrysoy shot the animal within the boundaries near the McLeod River.

New Councillors Sworn To Office

HAY LAKES — New Councillors Henry Zucht and Herbert Leicht were sworn to office by N. H. Ogilvie at the regular meeting of the Hay Lakes village council, Oct. 28.

Carl Nordin was again chosen to act as mayor for the coming year.

Among other business dealt with were plans for observance of Safety Week, Dec. 1 to 7, purchase of fire equipment for town hall and adoption of 1958 assessment for 1959 purposes.

Rink For Vilna

VILNA — A new skating rink is now being erected in town. This rink is 7' by 10' larger than the original one, and is being financed by the Vilna High School Students' Union and by the town. It is being built in the same location as the old one.

Man May Soon See Beginning Of Time

PASADENA, Calif. — Within two to four years man may be able to see back to the beginning of time.

Or at least back to the days when the universe was young.

Astronomers of the Balmar-Mount Wilson observatories believe improved seeing conditions out in space wil make this possible.

The 200-inch Hale Telescope atop Palomar Mountain has taken photographs of stars 10,000,000,000 light years away. That means, the light that made the photograph left a distant star 10,000,000 years ago.

VARYING ESTIMATES

Dr. Allan R. Sandage of the observatory staff said in a report released Sunday by the sponsoring California Institute of Technology that the latest estimates of the age of the universe range from 7,000,000,000 to 13,000,000,000 years.

Any improvement of visibility would take astronomers close if not right up to the actual birth of the universe.

SUNSPOT TROUBLE

The sun is at the peak of a sunspot cycle which hampers telescopic vision. In the next two to four years this is expected to subside and there will be fewer solar outbursts to disturb the night sky. Astronomers will be able to see farther out into space and time than they have ever seen before.

More information on the early days of the universe—perhaps even its birth—could answer one of the oldest questions in the mind of man: how did it all begin?

Edmonton Choral Society To Present Program Of Sacred Music, Spirituals

EDMONTON — Soprano Carmen Tellier will be the featured soloist with the Edmonton Choral Society on Friday, Nov. 21 during a program of religious selections, folks songs and negro spirituals at the Jubilee Auditorium.

Kenneth Hopkins, Leonard Whitely and Frank Johnson will present duets and solos for trumpets and organ.

In December, the Choral Society will present Handel's "Messiah" and Humperdinck's opera "Hansel and Gretel."

The "Messiah" will be held Dec. 18 and 19, this time with a small symphonic orchestra from the RCAF band.

The society received its charter in 1956 and that year performed the "Messiah" and again in 1957. Tickets go on sale at Heintzman's Dec. 10.

Last June the society sang the choral music in the operatic production of Coleridge Taylor's "Hiawatha." Premier Manning and the cabinet went backstage after the performance to congratulate the cast.

Hansel and Gretel will be produced on Dec. 27, 29 and 30 by John Havard who produced Hiawatha. Tickets go on sale Dec. 14.

Boyle

Mrs. Arvid Stromberg was a patient in the Athabasca Hospital a few days. Mrs. Russel Kolosha is also home after a stay in the hospital, and Mrs. Anne Nahayawski has returned from Edmonton with her new daughter, Patricia Lynn.

J. Turnbull has arrived in Boyle and will do electrical work in town and district.

The Catholic mission held last week was well attended by local Catholics. Father Edwards was the speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Kordyban spent the weekend at the Loy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wimbish from the United States visited their daughter Mrs. Mary K. Hartt and family and Patsy McNamara was a recent visitor at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Art McKinnon, Mrs. J. McKinnon, and Billy Gyte, all of Edmonton and James Irlam of Thorsby were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Good.

Mrs. Bernard Hart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wimbish of Kansas City, Mo., are visiting at the rectory for a short time.

George Good, alternate delegate for John Good, left Tuesday for Calgary to attend the UGG convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Art McKinnon, Mrs. J. McKinnon and Mr. and Mrs. John Good visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hayton, Sr. Sunday afternoon.

Superintendent Hamilton, Fieldman Ness and delegate John Lund motored to Lac la Biche last week to make arrangements for the opening of the new pool elevator.

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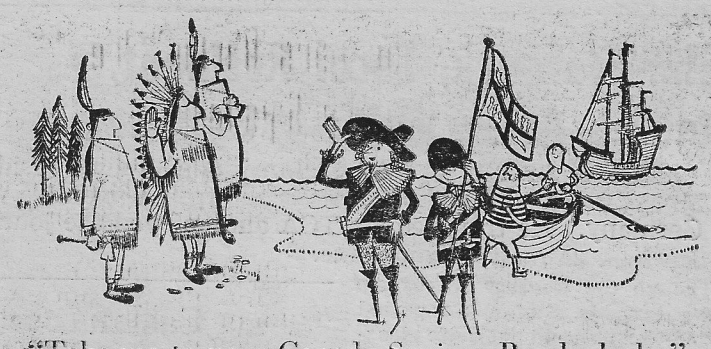
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John Stefanyk, Local Resident, Returns After Visit To Germany

LAC LA BICHE — John Stefanyk, well-known resident of Lac la Biche returned a few days ago from a month's visit to Germany. He travelled via TCA and enjoyed the journey which took 24 hours, flying time.

Though the weather was damp and rainy, Mr. Stefanyk reported that it was not cold but quite pleasant. He was surprised to see all the factories rebuilt since the war and running at top capacity and noted that there was no unemployment in the areas he visited.

All the young people are taught a trade as soon as they finish school. There are few if any openings for employment for older men unless they have a trade.

Married women are not encouraged to seek employment outside of their homes but much of the work in the factories and on the farms is done by women. Wages are not as high as in Canada, Mr. Stefanyk believes, and most people do not own their own homes as they do here but they live comfortably.

Food prices varied as compared to our country, cup of coffee in a cafe cost 35c and coffee by the half pound, bulk was $1. Milk on the other hand was very cheap, selling for 25c per half gallon, the housewife supplying the container.

Mr. Stefanyk remarked on the number of bicycles, motorcycles and scooters in use on the highways, all of which are paved. He was much impressed by the courtesy and good manners of the people, especially the children and teenagers who seem to be taught from their infancy to be polite and well-mannered.

Caslan

Mrs. Andrew Sawka and children have returned to Edmonton after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Sawka.

Mervin Henson of Edmonton visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Henson.

Gerard Tremblay has gone to his trap line north of Lac la Biche.

Portugal has been an independent state since the Twelfth century.

Win Prizes At HSA Dance

HYLO — A large crowd attended the Masquerade dance sponsored by the Hylo H.S.A. to help make it a huge success. Various types of comical masquerading was done and the first prize went to Mrs. C. McEachern for her Purple People Eater costume. Mrs. E. Lozinski wore a Mammy Yokum costume and won second prize while third went to Mrs. L. Marchasi for her Robin Hood costume.

In the hula hoop contest only three participated and after they twirled the hoops around their waists five minutes, it was decided to give each one a prize. The participants were Miss Dolores Sachko, Miss Janie Owchar and Miss Dale McEacherr.

Hallowe'en Excitement

BOYLE — Hallowe'en night here was quiet on the trick side but most homes and stores were busy on the treat front.

One adult prankster found that tricks do not pay however. Lorraine O'Ball, on her way to the theatre through the back alley, noticed someone working hard in one of her dad's trucks behind the International Garage. She reported this to her father and Mr. O'Ball and John Nahayowski went out to investigate. When they arrived on the scene the man was busy trying to saw the heater out of the truck. The police, passing through Boyle, was stopped and the would be thief was taken to Athabasca. He was later released on bail and is awaiting trial.

Spruce Valley

John Wiedz of Fort Smith spent the weekend at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Budz and Billy were recent visitors at Athabasca.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Skawronik visited in Lac la Biche a few days ago.

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